Special Team which was constituted by the Ministry on 14th September 1987, determined the amounts recoverable from the companies involved in the Supreme Court case. The Team submitted its findings in batches. The findings of the tentative amounts assessed by the Team upto 31st December, 1983 in respect of 6 companies were communicated to the companies concerned. The amounts assessed in respect of these companies are given below :—

Sl.No.	Names of the Company.	Amounts tentatively assessed by the Special Team upto 31-12-83 (Rs./lakhs).
1.	Hoechst (I) Limited.	458.10
2.	Cyanamid (I) Limited.	389.06
3.	John Wyeth (I) Limited and Geoffery Manners	133.46 28.37
4.	Pfizer Limited.	48.21
5.	Franco Indian Ph. Ltd.	8.15
6.	Ethnor (I) Limited.	11.02

(c) The Special Team ceased to operate after submitting its reports.

(d) Process of finalising the amounts against the companies involved in the Supreme Court case is already in progress.

Recovery of overcharged amount on Betamethasone

711. CHOWDHARY RAM SEWAK : Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to refer to the answer to Unstarred Question 666 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 19th March, 1990 and state :

(a) when the Delhi High Court directed to recover the overcharged amount on Betamethasone and since when the amounts due in respect of Betamethasone and its salts are being worked out; and

(b) by when the total amount due would be worked out?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI M. S. GURUPADASWAMY) : (a) and (b) The Delhi High Court delivered its judgement on the issue price of Betamethasone and its formulations on 31st August, 1987. Based on the preliminary calculations (which were to be finalised after further scrutiny) a sum of Rs. 37 crores as tentatively recoverable from M/s. Glindia Limited (now M/s. Glaxo) was communicated to them on 22nd September, 1989. The process of finalising the amounts is in progress.

Visits of special team to drug companies

712. CHOWDHARY RAM SEWAK : Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the members of Special Team visited a number of drug companies involved in Supreme Court and Delhi High Court cases;

(b) if so, what are the names of the companies and what were the dates of visit and termination of each visit to each company; and

(c) what were the details collected from each company ?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI M. S. GURUPADASWAMY): (a) to (c) Information is being collected and would be laid on the Table of the Rajya Sabha, as soon as as possible.

Prices of formulations

713. CHOWDHARY RAM SEWAK : Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to refer to the answer to Unstarred Question 2 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 30th April, 1990 and state :

(a) what are the names of the drugs under price control which are being indigenously produced and also being imported;

(b) what are the names of the producers of each drug and what is the stage from which each drug is being produced;

(c) what was the production of each drug during the last three years, yearwise;

(d) what is the present price of each drug per Kg. and when was the price fixed by Government;

(e) what are the names of the two major importers of each drug and what was the average landed cost of import of each drug during 1989-90;

(f) whether his Ministry has fixed the prices of formulations based on these drugs under DPCO, 1987;

(g) if so, what are the names of the formulations and the price fixed for each; and

(h) what was the bulk drug price taken in each case ?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI M. S. GURUPADASWAMY) : (a) Names of 50 price controlled and indigenously produced bulk drugs which are being largely imported are given in the statement.

(b) and (d) to (h) The information asked for is voluminous and time and labour involved in collection and compilation of information will not be commensurate with the results likely to be achieved.

(c) Details of production of monitored drugs for the last three years are available in the performance budget of this Department for the year 1990-91 copies of which are available in the Parliament Library.

1. Dapsone
2. Pilocarpine
3. Atropine
4. Primetheamine
5. Sulfamethopyrozine
6. Aminophylline
7. Betamethasone
8. Chlorpheniramine
9. Cyproheptadine
10. Carbamazopine
11. Cloxacillin
12. Calcium Pantothenate
13. Dexamethasone
14. Digoxin
15. Dipyridamole
16. Ephedrine
17. Furazolidone
18. Gentamycin
19. Griseofulvin
20. Hydrochlorothiazide
21. Hydrocortisone
22. Isosorbide Dinitrate
23. Ketoprofen
24. Mabhydroline
25. Metoclopramide
26. Naldixic acid
27. Oxytetracycline
28. Oxytocin
29. Pentazocine
30. Pheniramine
31. Prednisolone